

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

ASHIQ ASHFORD

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Crim. No. 20-cr-115-1

ORDER

AND NOW, this 19th day of April, 2024, upon consideration of Defendant's *pro se* Motion to Vacate, Set Aside, or Correct Sentence under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 (Doc. No. 258), the Government's Response in Opposition (Doc. No. 264), Defendant's Reply (Doc. No. 270), and all related submissions, it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

1. Defendant's Motion (Doc. No. 258) is **DENIED**;
2. A certificate of appealability shall **NOT ISSUE**; and
3. The Clerk of Court shall **CLOSE** this case.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ Paul S. Diamond

Paul S. Diamond, J.